

whole to know. They discussed:

1. Some statistics gathered in regard to accidents.
 2. Some efforts being made to reduce accidents.
 3. Some risks that we have observed boys and girls in the school taking.
 4. Safe ways of conducting ourselves on the street.
- II. Posters had already been made. Other ways of giving "safety first" information to the school were discussed. The class finally decided to write articles for the school paper.
- III. Since we could not put all the important facts learned in one short paper, we found it necessary to boil down the points to very definite topics. The class gave suggestions. Individuality was stressed at this point. Some of the suggested titles were:
1. Watch Your Step!
 2. Roller-Skating in Safety.
 3. Are You a Simple?
 4. Our Friend, the Traffic Cop.
 5. A Good Citizen on the Street.
 6. Haste Makes Waste.
 7. An Appeal for Help.
- IV. Points observed in the writing of the article.
1. It must have something to tell.
 2. It must be stated clearly so that the children in the lower grades will understand.
 3. It must be written in an interesting manner, if we wish it to be read.
 4. It must be legibly written.
 5. It must have all sentences correct in structure.
 6. It must stress quality rather than quantity.
- V. The writing of the article.
- VI. The next day's work consisted in the examination of articles by teacher and pupils working together, to determine how nearly they had met the standards set up.

The best paper was selected for publication.

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A FINDING LIST OF AMERICAN SHORT STORIES

SINCE short stories of individual writers are difficult of access, teachers will often find the better anthologies useful in providing a satisfactory sampling of each writer's work.

Because the contents of twenty of the best-known short story anthologies provide so considerable a body of American short stories, therefore, this finding list has been prepared.

First is offered a list of the anthologies to which reference is made. For convenience, each collection is indicated in the finding list by the name of its author, designated in the list of references by capital letters.

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